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F. A. Gossett III
 Magistrate Judge

Education: Creighton 1972 JD
 Began Service: May 29, 2003
 Term Expires: May 29, 2011

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Cheryl Renae Zwart
 Magistrate Judge

Education: South Dakota 1980 BA; Nebraska 1988 JD
 Began Service: January 15, 2010

Clerkships: Career Law Clerk, Chambers of Magistrate Judge David L. Piester, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska
Legal Practice: Associate, Knudsen Law Firm; Partner, Knudsen Law Firm

Staff
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Number of Judgeships: 2

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Thomas L. Saladino
 Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Began Service: August 2006
 Term Expires: August 2020

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Timothy J. Mahoney
 Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1945
 Education: Creighton 1967 BS, 1972 JD
 Began Service: June 28, 1985
 Term Expires: June 27, 2013

Current Memberships: Iowa State Bar Association; Nebraska State Bar Association; Omaha Bar Association

Staff
 Career Law Clerk **Joan Kramer** (402) 661-7484
 Education: Creighton 1988 BA, 1991 JD
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United States District Court for the District of Nevada

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Number of Judgeships: 8

Number of Vacancies: 1

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Roger L. Hunt
 Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
 Education: Brigham Young 1966 BA; George Washington 1970 JD
 Began Service: May 26, 2000
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Deputy District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney,
 County of Clark, Nevada (1970-1971); Legislative Aide (D-NV), Office of
 Senator Howard W. Cannon, United States Senate

Chambers of Chief Judge Roger L. Hunt *continued*
 Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of
 Nevada (1992-2000)
Legal Practice: Associate, Edwards, Hunt, Hale and Hansen
Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Clark County Bar
 Association

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Philip M. Pro
 District Judge



Date of Birth: 1946
 Education: San Francisco State U 1968 BA;
 Golden Gate 1972 JD
 Began Service: July 23, 1987
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
 Political Affiliation: Republican

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable William Compton, Nevada District
 Court, Eighth Judicial District (1972-1973)

Government: Deputy Public Defender, County of Clark, Nevada
 (1973-1975); Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nevada, Office
 of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice
 (1975-1978); Deputy Attorney General, Gaming Division, State of Nevada
 (1979-1980); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Nevada District, Executive Office
 for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1980)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of
 Nevada (1980-1987); National Council of the United States Magistrate
 Judges (1986-1987); Judicial Conference of the United States Committee
 on the Administration of the Magistrate Judges System (1993-1998);
 Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Nevada
 (2002-2006)

Legal Practice: Partner, Semenza, Murphy & Pro (1978-1979)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve (1964-1968)

Current Memberships: Clark County Bar Association; Ninth Circuit
 Wellness Committee, Federal Judicial Center; Nevada Trial Lawyers
 Association; State Bar of California; State Bar of Nevada

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 Career Law Clerk **Kara Rickey** (702) 464-5510
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Kent J. Dawson
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
 Education: Weber State 1969 BS; Utah 1971 JD
 Began Service: July 17, 2000
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable James Guinan, Washoe District Court

Government: Assistant City Attorney, City of Henderson, Nevada
 (1972-1973); City Attorney, City of Henderson, Nevada (1973-1979);
 General Counsel, Nevada Public Improvement Trust, City of Henderson,
 Nevada (1973-1995); Interim City Manager, City of Henderson, Nevada
 (1977)

Judicial: Judge Pro Tem, Henderson Municipal Court (1993-1995); Justice
 of the Peace, Henderson Justice Court (1995-2000)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1979-1995)

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Larry R. Hicks
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943
 Education: Nevada (Reno) 1965 BS; Colorado 1968 JD
 Began Service: November 29, 2001
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Deputy District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney,
 County of Washoe, Nevada (1968-1971); Chief Deputy District Attorney,
 Office of the District Attorney, County of Washoe, Nevada (1971-1974);
 District Attorney, Office of District Attorney, County of Washoe, Nevada
 (1974-1978)

Legal Practice: Partner, McDonald, Carano, Wilson, McCune, Bergin,
 Frankovich & Hicks, LLP (1979-2001)

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